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# FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

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## CHINA.

### AMOY—Examination of emigrants—Smallpox.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Foster reports, December 22:

Week ended December 18. Bills of health issued as follows:

December 13 the British steamship *Rubi*, with 73 in crew and 40 cabin and 162 steerage passengers for Manila, was granted a supplemental bill of health. The vessel anchored in the stream while in port. All on board were inspected at the time of sailing. Five passengers were rejected for trachoma. Manifests were viséed for 753 packages of freight.

December 14 the British steamship *Taisang*, with 63 in crew and 4 cabin and 65 steerage passengers for Manila, was granted an original bill of health. The crew and steerage passengers were bathed and their clothing was disinfected by steam. All on board were inspected at the time of sailing. Two passengers were rejected for trachoma. Manifests were viséed for 288 packages of freight. The vessel anchored in the stream while in port.

December 17 the British steamship *Sungkiang*, with 38 in crew and 22 cabin and 49 steerage passengers for Manila, Cebu, and Iloilo, was granted a supplemental bill of health. All on board were inspected at the time of sailing. One passenger was rejected for trachoma and one for favus. Manifests were viséed for 646 packages of freight. The vessel anchored in the stream while in port.

Smallpox prevails in Amoy and in the international settlement of Kulangsu. General vaccination of all scholars in the schools in the settlement is being done.

## CUBA.

### CIENFUEGOS—Inspection of vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Suarez reports, January 18:

Week ended January 15. Vessels inspected, 5; bills of health issued, 5; members of crews inspected, 114; members of crews landed (not inspected), 2; members of crews taken on at this port, 4.

Reports of the mosquito brigade for Cienfuegos and vicinity show 2,758 houses inspected from January 1 to 10.

No quarantinable disease reported.

### HABANA—Inspection of vessels.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Villoldo reports, January 19:

Week ended January 15. Bills of health issued, 29; vessels inspected, 23; members of crews of outgoing vessels inspected, 1,225; passengers of outgoing vessels inspected, 615; certificates of inspection of hides issued, 6.

The national department of sanitation reports 20,406 houses inspected and 16,202 water deposits petiolized during the period from January 1 to 10.

No quarantinable diseases were reported during the week.